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MARYVILLE, MISSOURI, FRIDAY, JAN. 29, 1915.

## HE FORGED MANY CHECKS, IS BELIEF

BURNS DETECTIVE COMES HERE TO QUIZ E. F. STEINBERG.

## OPERATED IN FIVE STATES IN WEST

Kansas City Expert Believes Local Jail Breaker and Passer of Bogus Checks is Experienced.

That worthless checks ranging in value from \$15 to \$75, passed in various towns and cities of Texas, Nebraska, Iowa and Missouri since last July, were the work of E. F. Steinberg, now in the county jail here, is the opinion of B. V. Jensen, representing the William J. Burns international detective agency of New York. He was here yesterday "quiz" Steinberg.

Mr. Henson came here at noon yesterday from Kansas City on orders from the head offices at New York. The order was made following complaint of the American Bankers' association, which the Burns agency represents. Mr. Henson spent the afternoon in consultation with Prosecuting Attorney William G. Sawyers, Sheriff Edwin Wallace, and in questioning Steinberg.

### Steinberg Denies It All

Before leaving last night, Mr. Henson had several photographs of Steinberg taken for use in a further investigation of the widespread forgery complaints.

Steinberg denied emphatically to Henson yesterday that he had ever issued any worthless checks other than the three for \$18.25 at Hopkins, December 29, for which he was sentenced to the state prison. Despite this, however, Henson is firm in the belief that Steinberg has operated the check and draft forgery game for the last half year within the five western states.

"These checks were signed either by C. Ward, W. F. Ward or C. F. Ward in each instance," said Mr. Henson. In each complaint registered with us the description of the forger resembled remarkably the appearance of Steinberg, with but one exception. This is the advice that the forger had two holes on the right side of his face near the right eye. Steinberg has not got them, but on close scrutiny I found that two scars showed such facial marks had been removed recently."

### Await Steinberg's Release.

The complaint on which Steinberg will be prosecuted by the American Bankers' association when Steinberg is released, five years hence, from the state penitentiary is from the Houston National bank of Wichita Falls, Texas, where a worthless draft for \$75 was cashed.

The first worthless check which Henson believes Steinberg passed was last July at Wichita Falls. Others in turn showed up in several cities of Wyoming, several cities of Nebraska, nearly half dozen in Iowa and several in Missouri. Still it is the belief of the Burns detective that Steinberg is not in old hand at the game.

"I do believe, however, that he has spent some time in jails of this country and has gained considerable experience within the short six months," said Mr. Henson.

This is the reason Steinberg refused to tell his past when questioned by Circuit Judge W. C. Ellison before being sentenced, thereby adding three years to his sentence, it is believed. The kill which he used in making his escape recently from the county jail, also showed experience.

## Fern Theatre, Tonight



ROBERT WARWICK  
THE DRUGGIST MARK

7:15 and 8:30

5 and 10c

### FORMER RESIDENT DIES.

W. F. Wade, Skidmore Druggist, Dies in Washington.

Word has been received of the death of W. F. Wade, formerly of Skidmore, who died Monday, January 25, at his home in Anacortes, Wash. Death was due to tuberculosis of the throat, with which Mr. Wade had been suffering several years.

Mr. Wade was engaged in the drug business while living at Skidmore. With his family he left there in 1909, seeking benefit in going to the western climate.

### Harmony to Give Play.

"Fifteen Miles to Happytown," a comedy play will be put on by the adult residents of the Harmony neighborhood at the Harmony church tonight.

## SETTLE CITY SUITS

### LONG LITIGATION OVER PAVING TAX FINALLY ENDS.

## TERM IS NEAR AN END

January Docket Almost Purged—Adjudged to February 24—Some Suits Dismissed or Continued.

A majority of the two dozen or more suits of the city of Maryville to collect special taxes assessed in 1906 for street paving improvements which have been in the courts for term after term, were finally settled in various ways in circuit court yesterday, just prior to adjournment, until February 24. In most of the cases settlement out of court was obtained and only formal dismissal made in court.

The suits were brought by the city after a number of persons owning property abutting on the paved streets had refused to pay the special tax. The amounts ranged from \$87.50 per individual to as high as \$326.50, while the average was about \$160. But with the extra court assessments and counsel fees, many will have to pay almost double the city assessment.

### For Paving Eight Years Ago.

Most of the paving for which special tax was sued for was on East Second street. Some was on West Third and Fourth streets and North Main street. The Second street paving was ordered by the council in August, 1906, so that most of the suits are eight years old.

The tax bill suits of the city, action on which were announced in court were against John P. Hawkins and Mrs. Hawkins, his wife, judgment; A. M. Bright and others, dismissed; J. B. Bratcher and others, continued; James A. Conklin and others, judgment; Frank Barnard and others, continued; J. E. Costello and others, judgment; Mary Costello, judgment; Oliver P. Wade and others, continued; Martha E. Smith and others, judgment; Edith Stultz, judgment; Frank Shoemaker, continued; Richard Snyder and others, settled and dismissed; O. K. Herndon, continued; William J. Wilson, judgment; Thomas Holmes and Dicey Holmes, settled and dismissed; William Murphy and others, continued; Mary R. Coleman and others, defendants dead, suit is revived against their heirs and case set for April term.

### Continued Several Cases.

Other civil suits on which action was taken were:

Martin Borrusch and others against James W. Herndon, contract; continued.

Laura E. Cloud against Royal Casualty company, contract; continued.

Elizabeth Prather against Connecticut Fire Insurance company, contract; continued by agreement.

T. W. Costello against Edwin Wallace, replevin; continued.

H. W. Clark against Clellan White and others, attachment; defendant defaults, jury waived and court awards judgment to plaintiff.

State against Everett L. Morgan, ouster proceedings in Graham consolidated school controversy; continued.

John W. Barker against Joseph W. Hays and others, perfect title; decree.

Irene New against Gerrie C. New, perfect title; dismissed at costs to each.

Dorothy Burroughs against William Burroughs, divorce; defendant defaults, decree to plaintiff and restoration of maiden name, Dorothy Conklin.

Bert Cornwell against James A. Kavanaugh, motion to retax costs; continued.

Katherine Riley against Anna Lynch and others, partition; dismissed.

City of Maryville against Sarah E. Murray, tax bill; continued.

John Kane against Joseph Binter, note; continued.

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EAT CABBAGE, FISH,  
SAUSAGE, NEW BREAD

No Indigestion, Gas, Spurts or Upset Stomach if You'll Take "Pape's Diapepsin"—Try This!

Do some foods you eat hit back—taste good, but work badly; ferment into stubborn lumps and cause a sick, sour, gassy stomach? Now, Mr. or Mrs. Dyspeptic, jot this down: Pape's Diapepsin digests everything, leaving nothing to sour and upset you. There never was anything so safely quick, so certainly effective. No difference how badly your stomach is disordered you will get happy relief in five minutes, but what pleases you most is that it strengthens and regulates your stomach so you can eat your favorite foods without fear.

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You feel different as soon as "Pape's Diapepsin" comes in contact with the stomach—distress just vanishes—your stomach gets sweet, no gases, no belching, no eructations of undigested food, your head clears and you feel fine.

Go now, make the best investment you ever made, by getting a large 50-cent case of Pape's Diapepsin from any drug store. You realize in five minutes how needless it is to suffer from indigestion, dyspepsia or any stomach disorder.

## Closes Out Farm Holdings.

A public auction of sixteen head of horses, twenty-seven cattle, eighty-five hogs and farm implements and hay was held by Thomas Keefe at the John Graham place, three miles northwest of Conception Junction, yesterday. Mr. Keefe intends to move this spring with his family from this locality.

## Graham Girls Play Ball.

A basket ball game between the girls' school team of Graham and the girls' team of Mound City will be played on the Mound City court tonight. The Graham lineup is: Forwards, Mary Hill and Lois Goodpasture; centers, Margaret Collins and Lena Finkbeiner; guards, Marvel McDowell and Ruth Ramey.

## Returns to Charlton.

Mrs. Guy Rounds and daughter, Fay, returned yesterday to their home in Charlton, Ia., after a visit in this city with Mrs. Rounds' mother, Mrs. Martha Partridge.

## With Advancing Age

Comes the frequent need of consulting an Optician.

Most elderly people find their eyes changing from year to year.

This is natural, and calls for a more frequent change of lenses than is necessary in earlier years.

If you need Optical assistance at all, you need My Kind.

**H. L. RAINES**  
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110 W. 3rd, St.



## Burn the Candle at Both Ends

Means extravagance. People who burn the candle at both ends always end the same way. If you are one of them, stop it by opening a Savings Account with us and deposit a little from your income regularly. No matter how small your income may be, save something from it and you will thank us later on for suggesting it to you. We have started a lot of people in the right direction. Let us START YOU NOW.

**Farmers Trust  
Company**  
"HOME OF SAVINGS"  
Maryville, Missouri

## JOHN W. WESTCOTT.

New Jersey Prosecutor  
Who Will Investigate the  
Strike Trouble at Roosevelt.



Photo by American Press Association.

CALL RULE FAVERED  
WESTERN SHIPPERS

## Resulted in Broadening of Market and Raise in Grain Prices.

Chicago, Jan. 29.—More testimony favorable to the call rule of the board of trade was presented in the hearing of the government's suit against the Chicago board of trade under the antitrust act.

Hiram J. Sager, formerly a director and president of the board, testified that the call rule gave a better outlet to the market.

"After the call rule was established in 1906," said the witness, "there was a broadening of the market to the advantage of the western shippers."

David H. Harris, a board of trade member, testified that the net result of the call rule was to raise the prices paid to shippers at least one-half cent a bushel, by reason of enabling the broker to handle the grain under a small margin of profit.

## NO LIFTING DRAFTS YET

Herrmann Says Matter Discussed, but No Action Taken.

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## SETTLE CITY SUITS

(Continued from page 1.)

Charles W. Williams against James Heekin, damages; continued.

James Andy Ford against Wabash railroad, damages; continued.

Cora E. Roberts against Arthur B. Roberts, divorce; continued.

In assignment of W. B. Finn, F. P. Robinson, assignee, is discharged after payment of \$118.34 fee on recommendation of commissioner, L. C. Cook.

## Take Case to Supreme Court.

In the suit of William M. Clark and three other children of Solomon Clark, who died at Pickering last year, against their step-mother, Eleanor Clark, notice of appeal to the supreme court was filed in court by plaintiffs. This action was taken after a jury last week decided for the step-mother and after Circuit Judge W. C. Ellison had overruled a motion of the plaintiffs for a new trial.

The children alleged that their father willed certain property in Pickering to Eleanor Clark through undue persuasion from her and because of his being of unsound mind.

Circuit Judge Arch E. Davis of Chillicothe was appointed a special judge yesterday to hear one of the tax bill suits.

Court will reconvene for a day, February 24, to hear the report of those previously appointed to apportion land involved in the partition suit of Ida E. Garrett and others against Elizabeth Caldwell and others.

## TOGGERY BEAT MACHINISTS.

Cellar Bowlers Win 2 of 3 Games—  
Deb Strong Makes 162.

The Toggery bowling team won two out of three games from the Machinists last night in Yeo Bros.' alleys. The Toggery holds cellar position in the standing of the five bowling teams, while the Machinists come next. Deb Strong made high score of 162. James Greenley had high average of 144.

The Haines team will play the next game with the Empire bowlers, next Tuesday night. The scores:

Toggery—

Henry	116	149	142
Strong	119	162	104
Greenley	161	145	127
Totals	396	436	373
Machinists—			
Erby	153	142	110
Diss	135	133	131
Sillers	116	145	104
Totals	404	420	345

Standing of the teams:

Teams.	Won.	Lost.
Haines	19	11
Empire	16	11
El Roi Tans	16	11
Machinists	14	19
Toggery	10	20

## PAID \$1,852 FOR 65 HOGS.

Ravewood Firm Sells Hampshire Gilts at Good Prices Here—Highest Price \$66.

The sale of sixty-five Hampshire bred gilts by G. S. Lawson & Sons of Ravewood at Gray's sale pavilion here last Friday brought a total of \$1,852.50, or an average of \$28.50 per head. The highest price paid for one hog was \$66, of which J. H. Meyers of Sabetha, Kan., paid for Opal No. 37, while \$16 was the least any hog brought.

Buyers from several states attended or mailed bids. Among the states represented were Missouri, Iowa, Indiana, Kansas, Illinois and Florida. The Dawson farm for years has contained some of the best grade of stock in that vicinity. Mr. Dawson, Sr., having started the breeding of the Hampshire gilts before coming here from Kentucky, many years ago.

## 50,998 AUTOS IN MISSOURI.

License Tax of All Motor Vehicles Nets State \$235,875 in 1914.

Claude D. Long, commissioner in charge of the state automobile registration department, has compiled figures showing that 50,998 automobile owners, 3,469 motorcyclists, 935 dealers and 6,331 chauffeurs obtained licenses up to January 1 last. The license fees netted \$235,873.50, which goes into the road fund of the state.

The number of automobiles in the state increased approximately 15,000 over 1913. St. Louis leads, with 11,908; Kansas City second, with 6,381; Jasper county third, with 1,726, and Buchanan county fourth, with 1,557. There is no county without an automobile owner.

## ANOTHER HORSE MALADY CURED.

Farmer Says Home Remedy Saved Two From "Corn Stalk" Disease.

Still other remedies for the cure of horses afflicted with the so-called "corn stalk disease" or forage poisoning, are continuing to come in. Here is one of the latest from a Rushville farmer who says it moved two of his horses:

Two ounces of Epsom salts, one quart of raw linseed oil, ten drops citron oil, dissolved in warm water, all to be given in one dose. One hour later give a pound of white magnesia in two doses.

## SOCIETY

## AND

## CLUBLAND

KATE SCHENCK

Phones—Office 42 Home 683

## Henry Clarence Cooper.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Cooper, living southeast of the city, announce the birth of their son, Wednesday, January 27, whom they have named Henry Clarence.

## Miss Porter Hostess.

Miss Hazel Porter entertained the young women employees of the Alderman-Yehle store with an informal thimble tea last night at her home, on South Main street. Those who enjoyed the hospitality of Miss Porter were Mrs. Verna Murphy, Mrs. Zetta Broyles, Mrs. Gay Leeper, Mrs. Lois Long, Miss Gertrude Condon, Miss Katherine Yehle, Miss Ora Saunders, Miss Nelle Campbell, Miss Agatha Kirch and Miss Theresa Yehle, Miss Fernie Suckow, Miss Hilda Lahr and Miss Emma Jane Crandall.

## Aid Society Elects.

At a meeting of the Ladies' Aid society of the First Christian church held yesterday afternoon, for the purpose of electing officers for the year, Mrs. James B. Robinson, who has been president for the past year, was re-elected for the coming year. The other officers chosen were Mrs. Edward Egley, vice president; Mrs. George Hartley, treasurer, and Mrs. Newton Hagnes, treasurer. Both the secretary and treasurer were also re-elected. The officers for the various departments will be chosen at the department meetings to be held next week.

## Cornett-Welcher.

Miss Katherine Cornett, the daughter of William Cornett of Shenandoah, Ia., and Harry Edward Welcher of Creston, Ia., were married at St. Joseph Saturday. The ceremony took place at the home of the officiating minister, and was witnessed by the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred T. Welcher of Creston and the bride's father. The Cornett family were formerly residents of Maryville. Mr. Welcher has a good position with the Burlington at Creston, and he and his bride will make their home at that place.

## Gives Valentine Domino.

Mrs. Smith Casteel was the hostess of a valentine domino party given last

A Man---  
A Foot---

Is away ahead of himself in cash when he puts the change back in his pocket after buying a pair of shoes at our sale. They are going fast.

**Roy W. Pettit**  
THE TOGGERY SHOP

night at her home, on East First street. The colors of red and white were combined in the decoration and game and luncheon favors and were in designs expressive of the valentine season. The game prizes were won by Mrs. Preston Seafers and Cooper Gooden. Mrs. Casteel was assisted by her daughter, Mrs. Frank Green and her two young sons, Harold and Eldon Green, in entertaining her guests, who were Mr. and Mrs. Robinson Craven, Mr. and Mrs. Preston Seafers, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Welborn, Mr. and Mrs. Cooper Gooden, Mrs. Brewer, Mrs. William Montgomery, Mrs. W. C. Frank, Mrs. Harold Honnold Bellows, Mrs. A. K. Frank, Misses Jeanette and Julia Tate, Miss Mildred Robinson, Miss Ruth Montgomery, Miss Grace Sturm and Miss Myrtle McPherson.

## Valentine Party.

The February social committee of the Christian Endeavor society of the First Christian church will entertain the members and their friends with a valentine party Monday night at the home of John McDougal, 822 East First street. Miss Bessie Porter is chairman of the committee on arrangements.

## Newly Weds Go Visiting.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Hart of Clearmont, who were married Tuesday at Clarinda, Ia., left this afternoon for a week's visit with relatives in St. Joseph and Kansas City. At the conclusion of this visit they will return to (Continued on page 4).

## Bred Sow Sale

## PURE BRED

## Duroc-Jersey Hogs

FROM THE HERDS OF  
A. B. Dowden, & Dale Partridge

## Thursday, February 4, 1915

Beginning at 1:00 o'clock p.m.

At Gray's Sale Pavilion Maryville, Missouri

58-Gilts and Tried Sows-58

Sired by and bred to Grand Model 5th, Crimson Col., Missouri Chief Again, Mozingo Chief, Banner Boy and Select Gano.

Every Animal in This Sale is Cholera Immune

## SEND FOR CATALOGUE

A. T. COLE, Field Representative

J. D. RICHEY, Clerk

R. P. HOSMER and S. H. BROWNLEE, Auctioneers

# Thrift on the Farm

It takes brains as well as muscle to run a farm nowadays, and it is the keen and foresighted farmer who gets ahead.

The ambitious farmer should never forget that a good bank can be one of his best friends, and we cordially invite the farmers of this vicinity to make use of our SAVINGS as well as our COMMERCIAL banking department. We pay 4% interest on savings compounded twice a year

Farm loans made a specialty.

**First National Bank**  
and  
**Gillam-Jackson Loan & Trust Company**

#### TO LIMIT STOCK DEALERS' FEE

State Measure Would Regulate Charges of Live Stock Commission Merchants.

A bill to regulate the scale of prices that may be charged by live stock commission merchants doing business at the Kansas City and St. Joseph stock yards has been introduced in the senate of the state legislature by Senator Glick of Holt county.

Under the Glick measure, live stock commission companies are declared public companies and must make annual financial reports to the secretary of state. The scale of prices fixed for commissions for selling stock is a reduction of about 20 per cent from the figures now charged. These are the maximum charges as fixed by the bill;

Cattle, 50 cents a head, or not to exceed \$12 a car.

Hogs, 15 cents a head and not to exceed \$8 a car.

Mixed cars of cattle and hogs, 50 cents a head for cattle, 15 cents a head for hogs and 25 cents a head for calves entire car not to exceed \$14.

Sheep and goats, 12 cents a head, or \$8 for single-deck and \$12 for double-deck cars.

There is an emergency clause to the bill which declares that the excessive rates now charged by the commission men make it necessary that the act become effective as soon as passed and approved. This is a part of exactly the same line of legislation aimed at the Kansas City stock yards and commission men that was defeated in the assembly two years ago.

Dr. Chas. A. Bone, osteopath, over Fern theater.

Has 37 Pigs in 10 Months.

Edward Myers, a farmer who lives southwest of Maryville, says he has a record breaking sow. Mr. Myers says the sow has given birth to thirty-seven pigs within the last ten months.

#### EXPECT 3,400 STATE BILLS.

Last Year 2,300 Were Introduced in Legislature—Each Costs \$177.94.

Three thousand four hundred bills is the number that will be introduced in the two houses of the Missouri legislature at the present session, according to the estimate of one of the state officials. At generally estimated cost of \$177.94 to the state for each bill presented, the total expenditure in this way would be \$605,200.

Last session 1,400 bills were introduced in the house, and 900 in the senate—a total of 2,300. If the official's guess is correct, the total this year will jump 1,100. Of the increase, he expects at least 400 to come from the different commissions—code revision, with eighteen bills; the commission to purge the statutes of obsolete, duplicated, and unconstitutional laws, with 140 measures; the insurance and other commissions, with bills that will bring the total up to at least 200 for each house, the bills being introduced simultaneously in the senate and house

#### They Now "Check" Babies.

The latest improved addition to the "Billy" Sunday meetings is a checkroom for babies. After the sermon the mother presents her check to the trained nurse in charge and receives her child, which has been cared for as well as if she had done it herself.

#### Employs a Pastor.

Rev. E. L. Cunningham of St. Joseph, has been selected as pastor of the Christian church of Elmo. He is a good preacher and singer and will hold services there on the second and fourth Sundays of each month.

#### Gave Good Feature Film.

"The Man from Home," a five-act feature film, with Charles Richmond playing the leading role, was shown at the Fern theater last night.

## Open Your Savings Account Now

Lay the Foundation of your Fortune by  
Opening a Savings Account Today



Deposits of One Dollar and upwards Received in our Savings Department.

Interest Paid Twice A Year

Oldest Bank in The County

**NODAWAY VALLEY BANK**  
A BANK FOR SAVINGS  
MARYVILLE

MISSOURI

## Closing Out Sale

Having decided to move to Colorado, I will sell at the farm known as the David Denning farm 1/2 mile N. E. Pleasant Grove church and 7 miles N. W. of Barnard on

**Monday, February 1, 1915**

the following property:—

commencing at 10 a. m.,

3 HEAD OF HORSES—1 bay mare, 6 years old; 1 bay horse, 5 years old; 1 weanling draft colt.

8 HEAD OF CATTLE—4 extra good milk cows, 1 yearling heifer, 3 spring calves.

19 HEAD OF STOCK HOGS—600 or 700 bushels of corn, about 10 tons shredded fodder. About 6 bushels of nice potatoes.

IMPLEMENTES—Low wagon, corn shredded, plow, harrow, iron kettle, 1 steel water tank and other things too numerous to mention.

LUNCH BY LADIES OF PLEASANT GROVE CHURCH

TERMS—All sums of \$10 and under cash, over that amount a credit of 6 months time on a bankable note bearing 8 per cent interest from date.

R. P. HOSMER, Auctioneer.

J. T. GOFF, Clerk.

**Sherman Pope**

## HEAVY FIGHTING IN ALL ZONES

Armies of Allies and Foes Battle

From Suez to Channel.

#### LAST FEW DAYS MOST BLOODY

Everybody Sees Triumph For Own Side, but Positions Remain Relatively the Same—Austro-Germans Take Passes From Russians.

#### WAR SUMMARY

Heavy fighting in the western war zone, seemingly, again has deteriorated into sporadic artillery duels and infantry attacks. Russian arms received a check, Vienna says, and eastern Hungary to the south of the Carpathians is cleared of Muscovites. Several towns were taken from them and in addition 700 prisoners and five machine guns captured.

The Austro-Hungarian foreign minister requested Secretary Bryan that the American ambassador at Petrograd make representations to the Russian government for the better protection of Austrian and German prisoners of war. Secretary Bryan complied with the request.

The expenditures of France on account of the war for six months have amounted to \$780,000,000.

London, Jan. 29.—There have been engagements in all the arenas from Asiatic Turkey to the English channel, in which the losses in men and material probably have been greater in the aggregate than in many of the battles of history.

According to the French reports, the attacks the Germans delivered against the allied lines in Flanders, France and Alsace on the first three days of the week cost them 20,000 men, to which must be added the losses suffered in their repeated attacks on the Russian entrenchments in central Poland.

All the attacks in the west, the announcements of the allies say, met with failure, except near Craonne, where it is admitted the French lost 800 men, largely because of the collapse of an old quarry.

The Germans, on the other hand, assert they inflicted a severe defeat on the French at Craonne and that they repulsed all the French attacks in the Vosges and upper Alsace with heavy losses.

While it is evident these attacks and counter attacks cost both sides heavily, they made no great difference in the relative positions of the opposing armies. They convey the intimation, however, that the Germans have by no means given up the idea of a smashing blow at the allied armies Germans Become Active.

With the approach of drier weather and the consequent hardening of the ground they brought up new troops with the intention of getting in their blow before the full strength of the Anglo-French forces was ready to meet them.

Thus far they have made little, if any, headway, but, undismayed, are sending still more troops through Belgium to Ypres and La Bassee, where earlier in the winter they attempted to break their way through to the coast. Knowing, as they must, that the Anglo-French armies have been greatly strengthened since then, they themselves must have increased their striking power.

The allies, however, are confident of their ability to hold their present lines and move forward when all preparations are completed.

In the east, interest centers in the Carpathians, where the Austro-Germans have brought up new armies to oppose the Russian invasion of Hungary. According to announcements in Vienna they have recaptured some of the passes the Russians were holding in strength.

#### WILL OF ZIMMERMAN

Leaves Estate in Trust For Daughter, Nothing For Her Creditors.

Cincinnati, Jan. 29.—The Duke of Manchester is not mentioned in the will of the late Eugene Zimmerman, railroad magnate and capitalist, which was filed for probate here. The value of the estate is not given in the will. It is provided that the entire estate must be held in trust. Following the death of the Duchess of Manchester, Mr. Zimmerman's daughter, the estate must be held in trust for a period of twenty-one years.

The income from the estate must be paid to the duchess as long as she lives. A paragraph in the will reads:

"But under no circumstances are the trustees to pay to my daughter any sum to satisfy the claims of any creditor of my daughter."

#### Germans Report Two Victories.

Berlin, Jan. 29.—Victory for German troops in two important engagements along the western front is announced in an official communication from the war office. In the region of Craonne another section of the trenches of the allies was captured, the report states, and in upper Alsace the French retreated in disorder after suffering heavy losses in attacks on the German positions. In the eastern campaign two small defeats of the Russians are reported.

#### ADMIRAL BEATTY.

British Commander Who Won a Brilliant Victory Over a Big German Fleet.



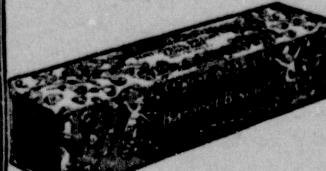
#### Uneeda Biscuit

Tempt the appetite, please the taste and nourish the body. Crisp, clean and fresh—5 cents in the moisture-proof package.



#### Baronet Biscuit

Round, thin, tender—with a delightful flavor—appropriate for luncheon, tea and dinner. 10 cents.



#### DEMOCRAT-FORUM

#### WANT ADS

For Results. For Results.

Classified ads running three days or more one-half cent per word for each insertion minimum rate 25¢ for three days. Interrupted insertions 1 cent a word for each insertion.

#### For Rent.

FOR RENT—House on South Mulberry, known as Thorp property, modern except heat. Inquire T. L. Wilder. 25-30

FOR RENT—Two modern houses, desirable locations, in good repair. Fred Kurtz, phone 649. 29-1

FOR RENT—7-room house, all modern except furnace, close in. Inquire at 314 West Seventh. 27-29

#### For Sale.

FOR SALE—Kindling wood. Route 3; phone 4X. Frank Martin. 5-8

WOOD FOR SALE—All dry ash, hickory and oak, \$3.00 and \$4.00 for full guaranteed cord. Other wood \$1.00 load. Will deliver. Native lumber for sale. Saunders Bros., Hanamo phone 3698. 14-12

FOR SALE—Residence lots, south and east front. Farmers phone 45-0-11. 26-1f

FOR SALE—90-acre farm, well improved, 5 miles from Maryville. Inquire here. 29-1

FOR SALE—Car of Swift's digester tankage. At Burlington tracks. Prices right. See us before you buy. Chidress & Co. 2-12

FOR SALE—Lumber and cheap wood. Saunders Bros. 11-1f

#### Miscellaneous.

FOR TRADE—66x132 lot on paved street for good milk cow. See A. S. Robey. 27-29

ALFALFA DUE NOW—Car first cutting, car third cutting, both good hay; prices right. See or phone me. Elmer Fraser. 29-1

MISS MARY GREGORY has moved her dressmaking rooms from 319 West Second street to 610 East Fourth. Telephone 3290. 27-29

MULES—We have a few span of heavy bone, well matched 3-year-old mules to sell. Can give time on purchase price if desired. G. W. Lucas. 6-1f

WANTED—Men to learn the barber trade. Positively the best trade of the kind. Can prepare you in short term. Wages while learning. Open to everyone. Apply by mail. Mohler Barber College, Kansas City, Mo. 23-29

SANITARY ENGINEERING requires experienced mechanics and good materials. Our appliances and "knowing how" insures satisfaction. Standard Plumbing Co.

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the Hart farm, near Clearmont, to spend a few days, and then go to California, where they will spend several months. Mrs. Hart, previous to her marriage, was Mrs. Bartlett of Clarinda, and the wedding took place Tuesday, at the home of the bride's uncle, Dr. Killingsworth of Clarinda. Mr. Hart is one of the prominent stockmen and farmers of Nodaway county. On their return from their honeymoon trip Mr. and Mrs. Hart will be at home at Clearmont.

#### White-Whited.

Miss Opal M. White, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. White, living northeast of Elmo, and Roy L. Whited of Clearmont, were married yesterday afternoon. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. E. Watts, pastor of the Baptist church. Mr. and Mrs. Whited will make their home on a farm near Tarkio.

#### Philomatheans Enjoy Party.

Following the literary program given last night by the Philomathean society at the Normal, the members enjoyed a bobsled ride. Those in the crowd were Miss Esther Dale, Miss Edith Moore, Miss Edith Callahan, Miss Gladys Jenkins, Miss Genevieve Harmon, Miss Wilhelmina Lewis, Paul Powell, Ray McPherson, William Utter, Wade Henderson and Wesley Bagby.

#### WARRENSBURG PLAYS YET.

Ouster of Normal Will Not Deter Basketball Players.

The recent ouster of the Warrensburg normal basketball team from the Missouri intercollegiate conference for alleged improper playing tactics will not deter that team from playing some strong teams this season. The Warrensburg players will meet the teams of Haskell University, an Indian school at Lawrence, Kan.; St. Louis University, Kansas normal school at Emporia, Kan., and Baker University, Baldwin, Kan.

#### New Railroad Bridge.

The Wabash has started work on a new steel bridge over the Nodaway river west of Burlington Junction, according to the Burlington Junction Post.

## A Little Wagon Heater

Keeps a nice comfortable temperature in our delivery wagon regardless of weather conditions outside. This little heater and careful packing is your guarantee to have flowers delivered direct from our Greenhouses to your home in fresh and in good condition. Fresh cut flowers in appropriate arrangements for any occasion at all seasons of the year.

## The Engelmann Greenhouses

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VOLUME 5.

MARYVILLE, MISSOURI, FRIDAY, JAN. 29, 1915.

NO. 206.

## HE FORGED MANY CHECKS, IS BELIEF

BURNS DETECTIVE COMES HERE TO QUIZ E. F. STEINBERG.

## OPERATED IN FIVE STATES IN WEST

Kansas City Expert Believes Local Jail Breaker and Passer of Bogus Checks is Experienced.

That worthless checks ranging in value from \$15 to \$75, passed in various towns and cities of Texas, Nebraska, Iowa and Missouri since last July, were the work of E. F. Steinberg, now in the County jail here, is the opinion of B. V. Henson, representing the William J. Burns international detective agency of New York. He was here yesterday "quiz" Steinberg.

Mr. Henson came here at noon yesterday from Kansas City on orders from the head offices at New York. The order was made following complaint of the American Bankers' association, which the Burns agency represents. Mr. Henson spent the afternoon in consultation with Prosecuting Attorney William G. Sawyers, Sheriff Edwin Wallace, and in questioning Steinberg.

### Steinberg Denies It All.

Before leaving last night, Mr. Henson had several photographs of Steinberg taken for use in a further investigation of the widespread forgery complaints.

Steinberg denied emphatically to Henson yesterday that he had ever issued any worthless checks other than three for \$18.25 at Hopkins, December 29, for which he was sentenced to the state prison. Despite this, however, Henson is firm in the belief that Steinberg has operated the check and cash forgery game for the last half year within the five western states.

"These checks were signed either by C. Ward, W. F. Ward or C. F. Ward in each instance," said Mr. Henson. In each complaint registered with us the description of the forger resembled remarkably the appearance of Steinberg, with but one exception. This is the advice that the forger had two holes on the right side of his face near the right eye. Steinberg has not got them, but on close scrutiny I found two scars showed such facial marks had been removed recently."

### Await Steinberg's Release.

The complaint on which Steinberg will be prosecuted by the American Bankers' association when Steinberg is released, five years hence, from the state penitentiary is from the Houston national bank of Wichita Falls, Texas, where a worthless draft for \$75 was cashed.

The first worthless check which Henson believes Steinberg passed was last July at Wichita Falls. Others in turn showed up in several cities of Wyoming, several cities of Nebraska, nearly half dozen in Iowa and several in Missouri. Still it is the belief of the Burns detective that Steinberg is not old hand at the game.

"I do believe, however, that he has spent some time in jails of this country and has gained considerable experience within the short six months," said Mr. Henson.

This is the reason Steinberg refused to tell his past when questioned by Circuit Judge W. C. Ellison before being sentenced, thereby adding three years to his sentence, it is believed. The kill which he used in making his escape recently from the county jail, also showed experience.

## Fern Theatre, Tonight



ROBERT WARWICK  
THE DOLLAR MARK

7:15 and 8:30

5 and 10c

### FORMER RESIDENT DIES.

W. F. Wade, Skidmore Druggist, Dies in Washington.

Word has been received of the death of W. F. Wade, formerly of Skidmore, who died Monday, January 25, at his home in Anacortes, Wash. Death was due to tuberculosis of the throat, with which Mr. Wade had been suffering several years.

Mr. Wade was engaged in the drug business while living at Skidmore. With his family he left there in 1909, seeking benefit in going to the western climate.

### Harmony to Give Play.

"Fifteen Miles to Happytown," a comedy play will be put on by the adult residents of the Harmony neighborhood at the Harmony church tonight.

## SETTLE CITY SUITS

### LONG LITIGATION OVER PAVING TAX FINALLY ENDS.

## TERM IS NEAR AN END

January Bocket Almost Purged—Adjourn to February 24—Some Suits Dismissed or Continued.

A majority of the two dozen or more suits of the city of Maryville to collect special taxes assessed in 1906 for street paving improvements which have been in the courts for term after term, were finally settled in various ways in circuit court yesterday, just prior to adjournment, until February 24. In most of the cases settlement out of court was obtained and only formal dismissal made in court.

The suits were brought by the city after a number of persons owning property abutting on the paved streets had refused to pay the special tax. The amounts ranged from \$7.50 per individual to as high as \$336.50, while the average was about \$160. But with the extra court assessments and counsel fees, many will have to pay almost double the city assessment.

### For Paving Eight Years Ago.

Most of the paving for which special tax was sued for was on East Second street. Some was on West Third and Fourth streets and North Main street. The Second street paving was ordered by the council in August, 1906, so that most of the suits are eight years old.

The tax bill suits of the city, action on which were announced in court were against John P. Hawkins and Mrs. Hawkins, his wife, judgment; A. M. Bright and others, dismissed; J. B. Bratcher and others, continued; James A. Conklin and others, judgment; Frank Barnard and others, continued; J. E. Costello and others, judgment; Mary Costello, judgment; Oliver P. Wade and others, continued; Martha E. Smith and others, judgment; Edith Stultz, judgment; Frank Shoemaker, continued; Richard Snyder and others, settled and dismissed; O. K. Herndon, continued; William J. Wilson, judgment; Thomas Holmes and Dicey Holmes, settled and dismissed; William Murphy and others, continued; Mary R. Coleman and others, defendants dead, suit is revived against their heirs and case set for April term.

### Continued Several Cases.

Other civil suits on which action was taken were:

Martin Borrusch and others against James W. Herndon, contract; continued.

Laura E. Cloud against Royal Casualty company, contract; continued.

Elizabeth Prather against Connecticut Fire Insurance company, contract; continued by agreement.

T. W. Costello against Edwin Wallace, replevin; continued.

H. W. Clark against Clellan White and others, attachment; defendant defaults, jury waived and court awards judgment to plaintiff.

State against Everett L. Morgan, ouster proceedings in Graham consolidated school controversy; continued.

John W. Barker against Joseph W. Hays and others, perfect title; decree.

Irene New against Gennie C. New, perfect title; dismissed at costs to each.

Dorothy Burroughs against William Burroughs, divorce; defendant defaults, decree to plaintiff and restoration of maiden name, Dorothy Conklin.

Bert Cornwell against James A. Kavanaugh, motion to retax costs; continued.

Katherine Riley against Annan Lynch and others, partition; dismissed.

City of Maryville against Sarah E. Murray, tax bill; continued.

John Kane against Joseph Binter, note; continued.

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### Dies at St. Francis Hospital.

Mrs. John Lund, an aged woman, who has been in the care of the city board of charity and the Sisters of St. Francis hospital for some time, died early this morning at the hospital, where she had been for the past week.

No arrangements have been made for the funeral.

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## UPHOLD STANDARD

BAPTIST EVANGELIST DECLARER CHURCHES SHOULD BE STRICT.

## SOME TOO INCONSISTENT

Church That Lets Christ's Standard Fall Lowers Its Own—Would Be Man Above All Else.

"Inconsistent living of a Christian life is the most damnable thing one can be guilty of.

"Any church that will allow the standard of Christ to be lowered will lower its standard also.

"This inconsistent living makes people doubt our Father."

These words were burned into the minds and hearts of 800 men, women and children by Evangelist A. E. Burch at the First Baptist church revival last night. In conclusion of which twenty-four persons walked to the front and confessed conversion, making a total of 172 so far converted in the special evangelistic services.

Before the service began last night, thirty-four persons who have joined since the revival began, were baptized. The topic last night was "Seeing Eyes."

Evangelist Burch said in part:

"Our seeing eyes are the eyes through which we see God in nature. We know not how it is. This is one of God's secrets. Our hearts are the moral sense with which we see. They are the 'seeing eyes' through which we see God.

"It is wonderful to be a man with our wonderful powers to see and know things. I would rather be a man than all else God ever created. And you know I believe when we see God we will see Him in the form and shape of a man. He is our own great loving Father with a personality and a being. We are fashioned in His likeness.

"How can a man look upon nature without realizing there is a God, without seeing God in nature? Even the tiniest flower, in its beauty and fragrance, makes one think of Him. We can't destroy that fragrance. And so it is with life—the beauty and love of God can never be destroyed.

Church Must Uphold Standards.

"Seeing eyes see the progress of the gospel in this old world. Inconsistent living of a Christian is the most damnable thing one can be guilty of. Any church that will allow the standard of Christ to be lowered will lower its standard also.

This inconsistent living makes people doubt our Father. It's up to us to live the lives that will remind unsaved people of God.

"People aren't going to be saved by us simply asking God. We must work and live for them. Work goes along with prayer. We can't expect to win this town to God unless men, women and children are on our hearts.

"And yet this is the most blessed and the sweetest age the world has ever seen in spite of all the evil existing. I believe that you and I, instead of planning for a long life and old age, should plan to make things better right now, just as we go along.

"Beyond the grave there are two destinies for us: We shall either suffer and bear a cross, or have the joy of wearing the victor's crown.

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NODAWAY SENDS 30 TO M. U.

Is Seventh County in State in Number of Students in University.

With the exception of seven counties, every county in the state of Missouri sends one or more students to the University of Missouri at Columbia.

Boone county, of course, being the home of the University sends the most students, 521. The two counties in which the two largest cities in the state are located come next, Jackson county sending 257, and St. Louis, 224. Jasper and 61, Pettis 49, Audrain 33, and Lafayette, Nodaway and Linn 30 each.

Worth county, with but an area of 270 square miles, sends 13 students, the largest in the state, Texas, sends two students.

Atchison county, in the extreme northwest corner of the state, sends 11 students; Clark county, in the extreme northeast corner, sends 7; McDonald county in the extreme southeast corner, sends 3; and Dunklin county, in the extreme southeastern part, sends 7.

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Entertainment at Harmony Church

Saturday Evening 30 JANUARY

The Title

15 Miles to Happytown

The play is to be put on by the older people.

Program at 8:30 o'clock

## EXPECT GOOD GAME

NORMAL AND WESLEYAN BASKET BALL PLAYERS CLASH TONIGHT.

## TARKIO BEAT IT 26-20

Although Cameron Students Lost Last Night, They Played Better Than William Jewell, Reported

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The undefeated Maryville Normal school basket ball team will play the Missouri Wesleyan College team in the Normal school gymnasium tonight at 8:00 o'clock.

Although the Wesleyan team has made a poor start this season, it seems to have gained form in the last week or two and are now playing a whirlwind game. The Wesleyans played Tarkio college last night at Tarkio and were defeated by a 20-26 count. The report comes that they displayed a better article of basket ball than did the William Jewell team which played there a week ago.

Expect a Hard Fight.

This means that the Maryville Normals will have a hard task on its hands tonight if it defeats the Methodist team.

Morris Riley of the Kansas City Athletic Club will referee the game.

Riley is a star forward of the Battery B team of Kansas City, and knows the game from every angle.

The line-up which will probably start the game for the Normal is: Vandersloot, Leech, forwards; Scarlett, center; Scott, McClinton, guards.

The Normal school yell leaders practiced with the student body in the assembly this morning and considerable spirit was aroused for the game.

A large audience is expected to attend including a number of former Normal students who are teaching in the vicinity of Maryville.

The Normal team will meet the Tarkio team on the Tarkio court February 5, when one of the hardest games of the season is expected.

NEARBY PLACES WERE COLDER.

Maryville Was Six Degrees Warmer Than Bedford—Temperature Rises Fast.

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Several other towns within close proximity to Maryville report much lower temperatures in the present cold wave than was observed here. Bedford, Ia., reports the government reading at 24 degrees below zero yesterday, while Stanberry officially gives the low ebb at 22 degrees. The lowest temperature here was 18 degrees below zero.

A rapid rise in temperature is reported within the last day by J. R. Brink. At 7 o'clock this morning the readings for the twenty-four hours previous showed the minimum to be 1 degree above zero and the maximum 11 degrees.

SCHOOL CLUBS TO MEET.

"Social Center" Organizations Have Postponed Sessions Tonight—Social Club Follows.

The various "social center" clubs of the grade and high school students of the Washington school building will meet at the Washington building tonight in postponed sessions. No special programs have been prepared by the leaders of any of the clubs, it is said.

Following the individual club meetings all will gather in the auditorium or hallway to spend an hour in playing games, singing and in a general social time.

CHRISTIAN MEN TO ELECT.

Church Brotherhood Will Choose New Officers for Year Tonight.

The annual election of officers for the ensuing year will be held tonight in the church by the Men's Brotherhood of the First Christian church. The Brotherhood now has a membership of about a half hundred and is quite active in all church work.

The present Brotherhood officers are: President, F. L. Flynt; vice president, Henry Westfall; secretary, John McDougal; treasurer, Edward Gray.

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Hopkins Store is Robbed.

The Owl pharmacy at Hopkins was broken into and several small articles and \$7 in cash stolen Sunday night. Entrance was gained by breaking in through one of the display windows in the front.

Child Scalps Arm.

Julia Marie, the 2-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Cornett, who live at 926 North Buchanan street, fell into a tub of scalding water yesterday and one arm was badly burned.

Returns from Visit.

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Announcement.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for the office of township collector of Polk township. HENRY THORP.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for the office of township collector of Polk township. W. L. ROBEY.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the Republican nomination for the office of township collector of Polk township. C. L. GANN.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for the office of township collector of Polk township. W. A. BURRIS.

QUARTET IS BROKEN.

By the Death of Col. Sayle of Grant City—Judge Ellison of This City a Member.

The Worth County Times in this week's issue had the following about the jolliest quartet of old-young men in Northwest Missouri, which was recently broken by the death of Col. E. O. Sayle of Grant City:

The other members of the quartet of friends are Judge W. C. Ellison, of Maryville, Judge Woodson Peery of Albany, and Judge A. W. Kelso of Grant City.

For a number of years it has been the custom of these friends to take their vacation together each summer on some of the lakes of the North. Colonel Sayle was a great fisher and loved to get out in a boat and fish; Judge Ellison is afraid of water and usually keeps his feet firmly implanted on Mother Earth. It is said, however, that upon one occasion Colonel Sayle induced Judge Ellison to get in a boat with him and go out on a lake. When they were out quite a distance from shore a high wind arose and the waves dashed high. Colonel Sayle was unafraid and laughed at Judge Ellison who declared they would be drowned the next minute. More laughter from Col. Sayle caused Judge Ellison to declare that he would be avenged on Colonel Sayle for getting him in the boat. They finally reached the shore in safety and the incident was forgotten—by Colonel Sayle. At the next term of circuit court over which Judge Ellison presided in Grant City, Colonel Sayle dropped in one day to pay his respects to the Judge. When Judge Ellison saw Colonel Sayle enter the court room he ordered all proceedings stopped and also ordered that Colonel Sayle be brought before the court where he was promptly fined \$1,500. Of course, Judge Ellison later revoked the fine, but he had had revenge on Colonel Sayle.

Such was the friendship of these men. They thoroughly understood each other; the jokes they played on each other would fill a book. On their vacations they forgot that they were among the leading men of Missouri and became boys again; such is the spirit of true companionship.

But now the quartet is broken. Colonel Sayle is dead. Whether the other three will continue to make their annual visits to the North remains to be seen.

**TWO CHURCHES HOLD REVIVALS.**

**Christian and Baptist Churches of Hopkins Arrange Special Services.**

Revival services are being held at the Christian church of Hopkins, conducted by the Rev. R. L. Morrow of Lathan. The first service was held Wednesday night and the interest has been increasing nightly. The meeting will be continued indefinitely.

Beginning February 15, a series of meetings will be held at the Baptist church, the Rev. J. E. Turner of Chillicothe, assisting the pastor, the Rev. D. W. Griffith. The Rev. Mr. Turner is a singer of note as well as a splendid speaker. He has been in Hopkins on previous occasions and is popular with the people there.

H. C. Conrad, chiropractor. No drugs, no knife. Over Ashford millinery.

To Visit at Greenfield. Miss Mae Farrar left yesterday for Greenfield, Ia., to spend several weeks visiting Miss Fay Culverson.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

PLAN GOOD CONCERT PROGRAM.  
Mrs. May Denny to Sing "Alice of Old Vincennes" at Sunday Musicals.

The weekly band concert to be given at the Empire theater Sunday afternoon, beginning at 3:30 o'clock, will be featured by a vocal solo, "Alice of Old Vincennes," by Mrs. May Denny. A song for the trombone, "When It's Springtime in Virginia," by Irvin Stafford, also is included in the concert.

The program follows:

March, "Universal Peace," Lampe. Overture, "Poet and Peasant," Suppe. Medley one-step, "When You Wore a Tulip and I Wore a Big Red Rose," Wenrich.

Song for trombone, "When It's Springtime in Virginia," Erdman—Irvin Stafford.

Grand Sacred Potpourri, E. W. Berry. Overture, "The Belle of the Village," Bouillon.

Vocal solo, "Alice of Old Vincennes," Keithley and Thompson—May Denny.

"Fox Trot," Arthur Pryor.

Grand selection, "Songs from the Old Folks," Lake.

ULMER ESTATE WORTH \$75,000.

Hopkins Estate Goes to Wife, Children and Other Relatives.

The will of George Ulmer, who died at his home at Hopkins last Saturday, was filed in probate court this afternoon. W. C. Pierce and George Ulmer, Jr., were appointed executors of the Ulmer estate, estimated to be worth between \$70,000 and \$80,000.

With the exception of \$20,000 to be loaned on real estate security by Executor Pierce, all the estate goes outright to relatives. The income from the \$20,000 investment goes to the wife, and on her death the principal is to be divided among the children.

Of the remainder, \$6,500 goes outright to Mrs. Ulmer, \$1,500 to Mrs. Baker, a daughter of his wife by a former marriage, \$500 to each of three children of a deceased daughter of his wife, \$4,500 to his son, Charles Ulmer, and the remainder is to be divided equally among his children.

**LIVE STOCK INCREASED LITTLE.**

Prices On All But Horses and Mules Advanced Last Five Years.

A live stock report of Missouri recently issued by the bureau of crop estimate showing the number of live stock and values for the last five years indicates the numbers have increased but little, but the values of all but horses and mules advanced. A report for the entire country shows about the same trend.

The Missouri report for 1915 follows:

	Number.	Value.
Horses	1,095,000	\$88.00
Males	329,000	98.00
Milch cows	797,000	54.50
Other cattle	1,414,000	37.90
Sheep	1,490,000	5.00
Swine	4,250,000	8.10

**MARYVILLE PASTOR MAKES ADDRESS.**

The Rev. S. D. Harkness, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, returned this morning from Hopkins, where he addressed a meeting of the Brotherhood of the Presbyterian church.

The meeting was held for the purpose of effecting a new organization of the Brotherhood and making plans for the various meetings. Addresses were made by Mr. Harkness and by C. E. Donlin and other members of the Brotherhood, after which a banquet was served.

Ex-Judge Enos Fast is the inventor of a new snow drag which is certainly proving a success. The drag is made of two 2x12 inch timbers twelve feet long. They are joined in a wedge shape and the team is hitched to the vertex of the angle, so the implement really resembles a plow more than a drag. When the big snow fell last week Mr. Fast hitched his team to the plow and cleared over three miles of road. It was a hard pull on the team but put the road in shape that it could be traveled with a light vehicle—Burlington Junction Post.

**Hold Funeral for Infant.**

The funeral services for Robert William, the 7-months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Warnick of Gullford, who died yesterday, were held at the family home this afternoon, conducted by the Rev. Mr. Hoover of Agency.

Dr. Chas. A. Bone, osteopath, over Fern theater.

**Here from Quincy.**

Magnus Tate, who has been attending the Gem City Business college at Quincy, arrived in Maryville at noon for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Tate.

Fay Corrough of Arkooe was in Maryville today to have some dental work done.

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Take no other. Buy of your

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25 years known as Best. Safety Reliably

SOLD BY DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE

**CARRANZA MEN ENTER CAPITAL**

Obregon's Troops Take Possession of Mexico City.

**FIGHTING IS QUICKLY OVER.**

Rear Guard of Zapatista Army Leaves National Capital as Carranza Forces Enter—Shots From Roofs Cause Injuries to Open up Fusillade.

Mexico City, Jan. 29.—General Alvaro Obregon, the Carranza leader, at the head of his troops, entered Mexico City.

At first he met with little or no resistance, but when the national police was reached shots from the cathedral roof and other buildings nearby caused his soldiers to open up a fusillade, which however, lasted but a short time. After the fighting was over a correspondent counted three persons lying dead in the plaza.

The rear guard of Zapatistas left the city as General Obregon entered, holding up street cars at the point of rifles in order to commandeer the same for transport as far as the suburbs.

Washington, Jan. 29.—Reque Garza, acting head of the government at Mexico City, whose flight from the capital was officially reported to the state department by American Consul Silliman, has been taken a prisoner to Morelos by Zapata forces, according to advices to the Carranza agency from San Antonio.

Another report said Monterey was occupied by Carranza forces. El Paso informed the agency that Villa forces admitted the loss of fourteen cannon and field pieces at the fall of Guadalupe.

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Three hundred and eighty persons were killed and 6,202 were injured by railroads and other public carriers in Missouri during the first eleven months of 1914, according to the annual report of the state public service commission. The property damaged was \$269,588.02.

The report shows 1,045 corporations are serving the public in Missouri. Of these 446 are telephone companies, seventy-eight railroads, eighty-four street railways and 216 electrical companies.

During the year the commission collected \$95,659.15 in fees and turned them into the state treasury, the bulk coming from the tax on approval of issues of bonds and other securities by the railroad corporations.

Market Live Stock.

J. B. Nunnelley, W. H. Ramsey and T. H. Hensley marketed live stock in St. Joseph yesterday.

Dr. Chas. A. Bone, osteopath, over Fern theater.

Servian Arrested Three Times Carrying Arms Sent to Hospital.

Gary, Ind., Jan. 29.—Ell Rodish, a Servian steel worker, was arrested for the third time. For the last week Rodish has been wandering about the streets armed with sabers, revolvers, and rifles, singing the Servian national hymn. He told the police he wanted to go to war. A sanity commission sent Rodish to the state asylum at Logansport.

Blease's Records Missing.

Columbia, S. C., Jan. 29.—Governor Manning, in a special message to the legislature, asked the appointment of a committee to investigate the disappearance of the records of Governor Blease's administration, all of which he said, had been removed from the capitol.

Eighth Victim of Explosion Is Dead.

San Diego, Cal., Jan. 29.—Charles W. Petersen of Racine, Wis., died of injuries received in a boiler tube explosion on board the cruiser San Diego. He was a fireman. His death makes the eighth fatality. The five other men injured are improving.

GRAIN AND PROVISIONS.

Closing Quotations on the Chicago Board of Trade.

Chicago, Jan. 29.—Closing prices:

Wheat—May, \$1.49%; July, \$1.34%.

Corn—May, 81%; July, 83c.

Oats—May, 59½c; July, 58½c.

Pork—May, \$19.35; July, \$19.65.

Lard—May, \$11.30; July, \$11.47½.

Ribs—May, \$10.55; July, \$10.75.

Chicago Cash Prices—No. 2 hard wheat, \$1.49½@1.50%; No. 4 yellow corn, 73@75c; No. 3 white oats, 56%@57½c; No. 4 white oats, 56%@57½c.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Jan. 29.—Cattle—Receipts

4,000; steady; native steers, \$5.40@9.

westerns, \$4.90@7.35; cows and heifers, \$3@7.75; calves, \$7@10. Hogs—Receipts, 27,000; strong, 5c higher; bulk, \$6.45@6.60; light, \$6.20@6.55; heavy, \$6@6.60; rough, \$6@6.15; pigs \$6@6.50. Sheep—Receipts, 5,000; strong; sheep, \$5.75@6.65; yearlings \$6.85@7.75; lambs, \$7.25@8.65.

South Omaha Live Stock.

South Omaha, Jan. 29.—Cattle—Receipts

2,500; 10@15c higher; beef

steers, \$6.40@8.25; cows and heifers

\$4@7; stockers and feeders, \$6@8.

bulls, \$5@6.75; calves, \$7@9.50. Hogs

—Receipts, 14,200; 5@10c higher;

bulk of sales, \$6.50@6.60; top, \$6.65.

Sheep—Receipts, 4,600; 10@15c higher;

lambs, \$7.65@8.75; wethers, \$5@

6.65; ewes, \$5.40@6.10.

**"SYRUP OF FIGS" FOR CONSTIPATED CHILD**

EAT CABBAGE, FISH,  
SAUSAGE, NEW BREAD

No Indigestion, Gas, Spurts or Upset Stomach if You'll Take "Pape's Diapepsin"—Try This!

Do some foods you eat hit back—taste good, but work badly; ferment into stubborn lumps and cause a sick, sour, gassy stomach? Now, Mr. or Mrs. Dyspeptic, jot this down: "Pape's Diapepsin" digests everything, leaving nothing to sour and upset you. There never was anything so safely quick, so certainly effective. No difference how badly your stomach is disordered you will get happy relief in five minutes, but what pleases you most is that it strengthens and regulates your stomach so you can eat your favorite foods without fear.

Most remedies give you relief sometimes—they are slow, but not sure. "Pape's Diapepsin" is quick, positive and puts your stomach in a healthy condition so the misery won't come back.

You feel different as soon as "Pape's Diapepsin" comes in contact with the stomach—distress just vanishes—your stomach gets sweet, no gases, no belching, no eructations of undigested food, your head clears and you feel fine.

Go now, make the best investment you ever made, by getting a large 50-cent case of "Pape's Diapepsin" from any drug store. You realize in five minutes how needless it is to suffer from indigestion, dyspepsia or any stomach disorder.

## Closes Out Farm Holdings.

A public auction of sixteen head of horses, twenty-seven cattle, eighty-five hogs and farm implements and hay was held by Thomas Keefe at the John Graham place, three miles northwest of Conception Junction, yesterday. Mr. Keefe intends to move this spring with his family from this locality.

## Graham Girls Play Ball.

A basket ball game between the girls school team of Graham and the girls team of Mound City will be played on the Mound City court tonight. The Graham lineup is: Forwards, Mary Hill and Lois Goodpasture; centers, Margaret Collins and Lena Finkbeiner; guards, Marvel McDowell and Ruth Ramey.

## Returns to Charlton.

Mrs. Guy Rounds and daughter, Fay, returned yesterday to their home in Charlton, Ia., after a visit in this city with Mrs. Rounds' mother, Mrs. Martha Partridge.

## With Advancing Age

Comes the frequent need of consulting an Optician.

Most elderly people find their eyes changing from year to year.

This is natural, and calls for a more frequent change of lenses than is necessary in earlier years.

If you need Optical assistance at all, you need My Kind.

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Jeweler and Optician  
110 W. 3rd, St.



## Burn ngthe Candle at Both Ends

Means extravagance. People who burn the candle at both ends always end the same way. If you are one of them, stop it by opening a Savings Account with us and deposit a little from your income regularly. No matter how small your income may be, save something from it and you will thank us later on for suggesting it to you. We have started a lot of people in the right direction. Let us START YOU NOW.

**Farmers Trust  
Company**  
"HOME OF SAVINGS"  
Maryville, Missouri

**JOHN W. WESTCOTT.**

New Jersey Prosecutor  
Who Will Investigate the  
Strike Trouble at Roosevelt.



Photo by American Press Association.

**SETTLE CITY SUITS**

(Continued from page 1.)

Charles W. Williams against James Heekin, damages; continued.

James Andy Ford against Wabash railroad, damages; continued.

Cora E. Roberts against Arthur B. Roberts, divorce; continued.

In assignment of W. B. Finn, F. P. Robinson, assignee, is discharged after payment of \$118.34 fee on recommendation of commissioner, L. C. Cook.

## Take Case to Supreme Court.

In the suit of William M. Clark and three other children of Solomon Clark, who died at Pickering last year, against their step-mother, Eleanor Clark, notice of appeal to the supreme court was filed in court by plaintiffs. This action was taken after a jury last week decided for the step-mother and after Circuit Judge W. C. Ellison had overruled a motion of the plaintiffs for a new trial.

The children alleged that their father willed certain property in Pickering to Eleanor Clark through undue persuasion from her and because of his being of unsound mind.

Circuit Judge Arch E. Davis of Chillicothe was appointed a special judge yesterday to hear one of the tax bill suits.

Court will reconvene for a day, February 24, to hear the report of those previously appointed to apportion land involved in the partition suit of Ida E. Garrett and others against Elizabeth Caldwell and others.

## TOGGERY BEAT MACHINISTS.

Cellar Bowlers Win 2 of 3 Games—

Deb Strong Makes 162.

The Toggery bowling team won two out of three games from the Machinists last night in Yeo Bros. alleys. The Toggery holds cellar position in the standing of the five bowling teams, while the Machinists come next. Deb Strong made high score of 162. James Greenley had high average of 144.

The Haines team will play the next game with the Empire bowlers, next Tuesday night. The scores:

Toggery—  
Henry ..... 116 149 142  
Strong ..... 119 162 104  
Greenley ..... 161 145 127  
Totals ..... 396 436 373  
Machinists—  
Erby ..... 153 142 110  
Diss ..... 135 133 131  
Sillers ..... 116 145 104  
Totals ..... 404 420 345

Standing of the teams:

Teams.	Won.	Lost.
Haines	19	11
Empire	16	11
El Roi Tans	16	11
Machinists	14	19
Toggery	10	20

## PAID \$1,852 FOR 65 HOGS.

Ravewood Firm Sells Hampshire Gilts at Good Prices Here—Highest Price \$66.

The sale of sixty-five Hampshire gilts by G. S. Lawson & Sons of Ravewood at Gray's sale pavilion here last Friday brought a total of \$1,852.50, or an average of \$28.50 per head. The highest price paid for one hog was \$66, of which J. H. Meyers of Sabetha, Kan., paid for Opal No. 37, while \$16 was the least any hog brought.

Buyers from several states attended or mailed bids. Among the states represented were Missouri, Iowa, Indiana, Kansas, Illinois and Florida. The Dawson farm for years has contained some of the best grade of stock in that vicinity, Mr. Dawson, Sr., having started the breeding of the Hampshire gilts before coming here from Kentucky, many years ago.

## 50,998 AUTOS IN MISSOURI.

License Tax of All Motor Vehicles Nets State \$235,875 in 1914.

Claude D. Long, commissioner in charge of the state automobile registration department, has compiled figures showing that 50,998 automobile owners, 3,469 motorcyclists, 935 dealers and 6,351 chauffeurs obtained licenses up to January 1 last. The license fees netted \$235,873.50, which goes into the road fund of the state.

The number of automobiles in the state increased approximately 15,000 over 1913. St. Louis leads, with 11,908; Kansas City second, with 6,381; Jasper county third, with 1,726, and Buchanan county fourth, with 1,557. There is no county without an automobile owner.

## ANOTHER HORSE MALADY CURED.

Farmer Says Home Remedy Saved Two From "Corn Stalk" Disease.

Still other remedies for the cure of horses afflicted with the so-called "corn stalk disease" or forage poisoning, are continuing to come in. Here is one of the latest from a Rushville farmer who says it moved two of his horses:

Two ounces of Epsom salts, one quart of raw linseed oil, ten drops citron oil, dissolved in warm water, all to be given in one dose. One hour later give a pound of white magnesia in two doses.

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## Henry Clarence Cooper.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Cooper, living southeast of the city, announce the birth of their son, Wednesday, January 27, whom they have named Henry Clarence.

## Miss Porter Hostess.

Miss Hazel Porter entertained the young women employees of the Alderman-Yehle store with an informal thimble tea last night at her home, on South Main street. Those who enjoyed the hospitality of Miss Porter were Mrs. Verna Murphy, Mrs. Zetta Broyles, Mrs. Gay Leeper, Mrs. Lois Long, Miss Gertrude Condon, Miss Katherine Yehle, Miss Ora Saunders, Miss Nelle Campbell, Miss Agatha Kirch and Miss Theresa Yehle, Miss Fernie Suckow, Miss Hilda Lahr and Miss Emma Jane Crandall.

## Aid Society Elects.

At a meeting of the Ladies' Aid society of the First Christian church held yesterday afternoon, for the purpose of electing officers for the year, Mrs. James B. Robinson, who has been president for the past year, was re-elected for the coming year. The other officers chosen were Mrs. Edward Egley, vice president; Mrs. George Hartley, secretary, and Mrs. Newton Hagnis, treasurer. Both the secretary and treasurer were also re-elected. The officers for the various departments will be chosen at the department meetings to be held next week.

## Cornett-Welcher.

Miss Katherine Cornett, the daughter of William Cornett of Shenandoah, Ia., and Harry Edward Welcher of Creston, Ia., were married at St. Joseph Saturday. The ceremony took place at the home of the officiating minister, and was witnessed by the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred T. Welcher of Creston and the bride's father. The Cornett family were formerly residents of Maryville. Mr. Welcher has a good position with the Burlington at Creston, and he and his bride will make their home at that place.

## Gives Valentine Domino.

Mrs. Smith Casteel was the hostess of a valentine domino party given last

**A Man---  
A Foot---**

*Is away ahead of himself in cash when he puts the change back in his pocket after buying a pair of shoes at our sale. They are going fast.*

**Roy W. Pettit**  
THE TOGGERY SHOP

night at her home, on East First street. The colors of red and white were combined in the decoration and game and luncheon favors and were in designs expressive of the valentine season. The game prizes were won by Mrs. Preston Seafers and Cooper Gooden. Mrs. Casteel was assisted by her daughter, Mrs. Frank Green and her two young sons, Harold and Eldon Green, in entertaining her guests, who were Mr. and Mrs. Robinson Craven, Mr. and Mrs. Preston Seafers, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Welborn, Mr. and Mrs. Cooper Gooden, Mrs. Anna Stauble and Forrest Gooden.

## Mission Workers Entertained.

Mrs. O. W. Lawrence of Kansas City, state secretary of the Christian Woman's Board of Missions, and Mrs. Ross of Canton, field worker for the organization, arrived in Maryville last night. They were entertained last night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Frank, and will be guests tonight and tomorrow of Mr. and Mrs. James B. Robinson. A reception will be given Saturday afternoon at the First Christian church by the C. W. B. M. and the Mission Circle in compliment to the visitors. A special missionary service will be held at the church Sunday, and the meetings will be addressed by Mrs. Ross and Mrs. Lawrence.

## Miscellaneous Shower.

Mrs. Dale Bellows was the honoree of a valentine domino party given this afternoon from 3 till 5 o'clock by Mrs.

## Newly Weds Go Visiting.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Hart of Clearmont, who were married Tuesday at Clarinda, Ia., left this afternoon for a week's visit with relatives in St. Joseph and Kansas City. At the conclusion of this visit they will return to (Continued on page 4).

**Bred Sow Sale****PURE BRED****Duroc-Jersey Hogs**

**FROM THE HERDS OF  
A. B. Dowden, & Dale Partridge**

**Thursday, February 4, 1915**  
Beginning at 1:00 o'clock p.m.  
At Gray's Sale Pavilion Maryville, Missouri

**58-Gilts and Tried Sows-58**

Sired by and bred to Grand Model 5th, Crimson Col., Missouri Chief Again, Mozingo Chief, Banner Boy and Select Gano.

**Every Animal in This Sale is Cholera Immune**

## SEND FOR CATALOGUE

**A. T. COLE, Field Representative** **J. D. RICHEY, Clerk**  
**R. P. HOSMER and S. H. BROWNLEE, Auctioneers**

# Thrift on the Farm

It takes brains as well as muscle to run a farm nowadays, and it is the keen and foresighted farmer who gets ahead.

The ambitious farmer should never forget that a good bank can be one of his best friends, and we cordially invite the farmers of this vicinity to make use of our SAVINGS as well as our COMMERCIAL banking department. We pay 4% interest on savings compounded twice a year

Farm loans made a specialty.

**First National Bank**  
and  
**Gillam-Jackson Loan & Trust Company**

#### TO LIMIT STOCK DEALERS' FEE

State Measure Would Regulate Charges of Live Stock Commission Merchants.

A bill to regulate the scale of prices that may be charged by live stock commission merchants doing business at the Kansas City and St. Joseph stock yards has been introduced in the senate of the state legislature by Senator Glick of Holt county.

Under the Glick measure, live stock commission companies are declared public companies and must make annual financial reports to the secretary of state. The scale of prices fixed for commissions for selling stock is a reduction of about 20 per cent from the figures now charged. These are the maximum charges as fixed by the bill:

Cattle, 50 cents a head, or not to exceed \$12 a car.  
Hogs, 15 cents a head and not to exceed \$8 a car.

Mixed cars of cattle and hogs, 50 cents a head for cattle, 15 cents a head for hogs and 25 cents a head for calves entire car not to exceed \$14.

Sheep and goats, 12 cents a head, or \$8 for single-deck and \$12 for double-deck cars.

There is an emergency clause to the bill which declares that the excessive rates now charged by the commission men make it necessary that the act become effective as soon as passed and approved. This is a part of exactly the same line of legislation aimed at the Kansas City stock yards and commission men that was defeated in the assembly two years ago.

**Dr. Chas. A. Bone, osteopath, over Fern theater.**

#### Has 37 Pigs in 10 Months.

Edward Myers, a farmer who lives southwest of Maryville, says he has a record breaking sow. Mr. Myers says the sow has given birth to thirty-seven pigs within the last ten months.

#### Gave Good Feature Film.

"The Man from Home," a five-act feature film, with Charles Richmond playing the leading role, was shown at the Fern theater last night.

## Open Your Savings Account Now

Lay the Foundation of your Fortune by Opening a Savings Account Today



Deposits of One Dollar and upwards Received in our Savings Department.

**Interest Paid Twice A Year**

Oldest Bank in The County

**NODAWAY VALLEY BANK**  
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## Closing Out Sale

Having decided to move to Colorado, I will sell at the farm known as the David Denning farm 1/2 mile N. E. Pleasant Grove church and 7 miles N. W. of Barnard on

**Monday, February 1, 1915**

the following property:

commencing at 10 a. m.,

3 HEAD OF HORSES—1 bay mare, 6 years old; 1 bay horse, 5 years old; 1 weanling draft colt.

3 HEAD OF CATTLE—4 extra good milch cows, 1 yearling heifer, 3 spring calves.

19 HEAD OF STOCK HOGS—600 or 700 bushels of corn, about 10 tons shredded fodder. About 6 bushels of nice potatoes.

IMPLEMENT—Low wagon, corn shredded, plow, harrow, iron kettle, 1 steel water tank and other things too numerous to mention.

LUNCH BY LADIES OF PLEASANT GROVE CHURCH

TERMS—All sums of \$10 and under cash, over that amount a credit of 6 months time on a bankable note bearing 8 per cent interest from date.

R. P. HOSMER, Auctioneer.

J. T. GOFF, Clerk.

**Sherman Pope**

## HEAVY FIGHTING IN ALL ZONES

Armies of Allies and Foes Battle

From Suez to Channel.

## LAST FEW DAYS MOST BLOODY

Everybody Sees Triumph For Own Side, but Positions Remain Relatively the Same—Austro-Germans Take Passes From Russians.

### WAR SUMMARY

Heavy fighting in the western war zone, seemingly, again has deteriorated into sporadic artillery duels and infantry attacks. Russian arms received a check, Vienna says, and eastern Hungary to the south of the Carpathians is cleared of Muscovites. Several towns were taken from them and in addition 700 prisoners and five machine guns captured.

The Austro-Hungarian foreign minister requested Secretary Bryan that the American ambassador at Petrograd make representations to the Russian government for the better protection of Austrian and German prisoners of war. Secretary Bryan complied with the request. The expenditures of France on account of the war for six months have amounted to \$780,000,000.

London, Jan. 29.—There have been engagements in all the arenas from Asiatic Turkey to the English channel, in which the losses in men and material probably have been greater in the aggregate than in many of the battles of history.

According to the French reports, the attacks the Germans delivered against the allied lines in Flanders, France and Alsace on the first three days of the week cost them 20,000 men, to which must be added the losses suffered in their repeated attacks on the Russian entrenchments in central Poland.

All the attacks in the west, the announcements of the allies say, met with failure, except near Craonne, where it is admitted the French lost 800 men, largely because of the collapse of an old quarry.

The Germans, on the other hand, assert they inflicted a severe defeat on the French at Craonne and that they repulsed all the French attacks in the Vosges and upper Alsace with heavy losses.

While it is evident these attacks and counter attacks cost both sides heavily, they made no great difference in the relative positions of the opposing armies. They convey the intimation, however, that the Germans have by no means given up the idea of a smashing blow at the allied armies.

#### German Become Active.

With the approach of drier weather and the consequent hardening of the ground they brought up new troops with the intention of getting in their blow before the full strength of the Anglo-French forces was ready to meet them.

Thus far they have made little, if any, headway, but, undismayed, are sending still more troops through Belgium to Ypres and La Bassée, where earlier in the winter they attempted to break their way through to the coast. Knowing, as they must, that the Anglo-French armies have been greatly strengthened since then, they themselves must have increased their striking power.

The allies, however, are confident of their ability to hold their present lines and move forward when all preparations are completed.

In the east, interest centers in the Carpathians, where the Austro-Germans have brought up new armies to oppose the Russian invasion of Hungary. According to announcements in Vienna they have recaptured some of the passes the Russians were holding in strength.

#### WILL OF ZIMMERMAN

Leaves Estate in Trust For Daughter, Nothing For Her Creditors.

Cincinnati, Jan. 29.—The Duke of Manchester is not mentioned in the will of the late Eugene Zimmerman, railroad magnate and capitalist, which was filed for probate here. The value of the estate is not given in the will. It is provided that the entire estate must be held in trust. Following the death of the Duchess of Manchester, Mr. Zimmerman's daughter, the estate must be held in trust for a period of twenty-one years.

The income from the estate must be paid to the duchess as long as she lives. A paragraph in the will reads:

"But under no circumstances are the trustees to pay to my daughter any sum to satisfy the claims of any creditor of my daughter."

#### Germans Report Two Victories.

Berlin, Jan. 29.—Victory for German troops in two important engagements along the western front is announced in an official communication from the war office. In the region of Craonne another section of the trenches of the allies was captured, the report states, and in upper Alsace the French retreated in disorder after suffering heavy losses in attacks on the German positions. In the eastern campaign two small defeats of the Russians are reported.

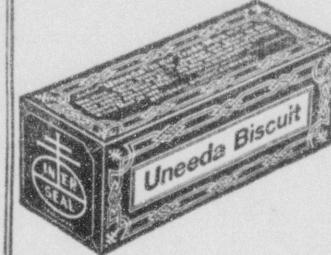
### ADMIRAL BEATTY.

British Commander Who Won a Brilliant Victory Over a Big German Fleet.



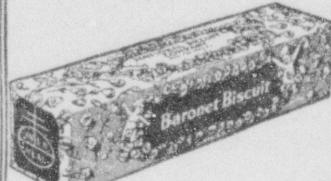
### Uneeda Biscuit

Tempt the appetite, please the taste and nourish the body. Crisp, clean and fresh—5 cents in the moisture-proof package.



### Baronet Biscuit

Round, thin, tender—with a delightful flavor—appropriate for luncheon, tea and dinner. 10 cents.



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FOR RENT—House on South Mulberry, known as Thorp property, modern except heat. Inquire T. L. Wilderman. 25-30

FOR RENT—Two modern houses, desirable locations, in good repair. Fred Kurtz, phone 649. 29-1

FOR RENT—7-room house, all modern except furnace, close in. Inquire at 314 West Seventh. 27-29

### For Sale.

FOR SALE—Kindling wood. Route 3; phone 4X. Frank Martin. 5-2

WOOD FOR SALE—All dry ash, hickory and oak, \$3.00 and \$4.00 for full guaranteed cord. Other wood \$1.00 toad. Will deliver. Native lumber for sale. Saunders Bros., Hanamo phone 3698. 14-1

FOR SALE—Residence lots, south and east front. Farmers phone 45-0-11. 26-1

FOR SALE—90-acre farm, well improved, 5 miles from Maryville. Inquire here.

FOR SALE—Car of Swift's digester tankage. At Burlington tracks. Prices right. See us before you buy. Chidress & Co. 2-1

FOR SALE—Lumber and cheap wood. Saunders Bros. 11-1

### Miscellaneous.

FOR TRADE—66x132 lot on paved street for good milk cow. See A. S. Robey. 27-29

ALFALFA DUE NOW—Car first cutting, car third cutting, both good hay; prices right. See or phone me. Elmer Fraser. 29-1

MISS MARY GREGORY has moved her dressmaking rooms from 319 West Second street to 610 East Fourth. Telephone 3290. 27-29

MULES—We have a few span of heavy bone, well matched 3-year-old mules to sell. Can give time on purchase price if desired. G. W. Lucas. 6-1

WANTED—Men to learn the barber trade. Positively the best trade of the kind. Can prepare you in short term. Wages while learning. Open to everyone. Apply by mail. Mohler Barber College, Kansas City, Mo. 23-28

SANITARY ENGINEERING requires experienced mechanics and good materials. Our appliances and "knowing how" insures satisfaction. Standard Plumbing Co.

### Hopkins Girl Marries.

A license to marry was granted in the office of the recorder of deeds this morning to Walter H. Gilbert, 26 years old, of Bolckow, and Gene Walker, 18 years old, of Hopkins. They were married by Probate Judge W. H. Cox.

### To Attend Board Meeting.

The Rev. S. D. Harkness, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, left this morning for St. Joseph to attend a meeting of the executive commission of the district presbytery, of which he is a member. The session will meet at 1 o'clock at the Y. M. C. A. building.

### Karl R. Malotte,

PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON, Office over Thomas Parle's drug store, MARYVILLE, MO. Both Phones.

CHARLES E. STILWELL, ATTORNEY AND COUNSELOR AT LAW, Office over Farmers Trust Company, Maryville, Mo.

## A Little Wagon Heater

Keeps a nice comfortable temperature in our delivery wagon regardless of weather conditions outside. This little heater and careful packing is your guarantee to have flowers delivered direct from our Greenhouses to your home in fresh and in good condition. Fresh cut flowers in appropriate arrangements for any occasion at all season's of the year.

### The Engelmann

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### WARRENSBURG PLAYS YET.

Ouster of Normal Will Not Deter Basketball Players.

The recent ouster of the Warrensburg normal basketball team from the Missouri Intercollegiate conference for alleged improper playing tactics will not deter that team from playing some strong teams this season. The Warrensburg players will meet the teams of Haskell university, an Indian school at Lawrence, Kan.; St. Louis university, Kansas normal school at Emporia, Kan., and Baker university, Baldwin, Kan.

### New Railroad Bridge.

The Wabash has started work on a new steel bridge over the Nodaway river west of Burlington Junction, according to the Burlington Junction Post.